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University of Pennsylvania	A.B.	1960	Natural Science
University of California, Berkeley	Ph.D.	1966	Biophysics
University of California, Berkeley	Postdoctoral Fellow	1966-68	Bacteriology and Immunology

Professional Experience:

1968-1970	Senior Cancer Research Scientist, Roswell Park Memorial Institute, Buffalo, NY
1970-1971	Research Scientist, Diagnostic Data, Inc., Mountain View, CA
1971-1972	Research Laboratory Director, Diagnostic Data, Inc.
1972-1978	Director, Research and Quality Assurance Laboratories, Diagnostic Data, Inc.
1978-1981	Vice President, Manufacturing and Quality Control, Diagnostic Data, Inc.
1981-6/95	Vice President, Diagnostic Data, Inc. (The company name was changed to DDI Pharmaceuticals, Inc., in 1985 and to Oxis International, Inc., in 1994.)
7/95-10/95	Senior Scientist, Oxis International, Inc., Mountain View, CA
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Professional Society Memberships:

American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists; International Society for Free Radical Research; Oxygen Society; Parenteral Drug Association; American Association for the Advancement of Science - Life Member

Selected Patents:

Huber W, Chow S H, **Saifer MG P** (1974)

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